

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1 1. (Currently amended) A communication device comprising:
2 a storage unit configured to store a scheduled time, a transmission destination, a
3 first message, and a second message;
4 a clock function unit configured to reference a current time;
5 an input unit configured to receive input from a user;
6 a notification unit configured to provide notification to the user;
7 a transmission unit configured to transmit the first message stored in the storage
8 unit to the transmission destination; and
9 a control unit configured to control the notification unit to provide notification to
10 the user when the scheduled time stored in the storage unit matches the current time indicated by
11 the clock function unit, to control the transmission unit to transmit the first message when no
12 input indicating transmission cancellation is provided through the input unit within a
13 predetermined length of time from the notification, and to control the transmission unit to not
14 transmit the first message when input indicating transmission cancellation is provided through
15 the input unit within the predetermined length of time from the notification, wherein following
16 the transmission of the first message by the transmission unit, the second message is transmitted
17 by the transmission unit when input indicating confirmation of the transmission of the first
18 message is provided through the input unit,
19 wherein the control unit is further configured to calculate an elapsed time based
20 on the scheduled time when the input indicating confirmation of the transmission of the first
21 message is provided, and the elapsed time is transmitted with the second message.

2. Canceled

1 3. (Previously presented) The communication device according to claim 1,
2 wherein the first message communicates a delay to the transmission destination, and the second
3 message communicates a length of the delay to the transmission destination.

1 4. (Previously presented) A communication device comprising:
2 a storage unit configured to store an input time, a transmission destination, and a
3 first message;
4 a clock function unit configured to reference a current time;
5 an input unit configured to receive input from a user;
6 a notification unit configured to provide notification to the user;
7 a transmission unit configured to transmit the first message stored in the storage
8 unit to the transmission destination;
9 a control unit configured to control the notification unit to provide notification to
10 the user when the input time stored in the storage unit matches the current time indicated by the
11 clock function unit, to control the transmission unit to transmit the first message when no input
12 indicating transmission cancellation is provided through the input unit within a predetermined
13 length of time from the notification, and to control the transmission unit to not transmit the first
14 message when input indicating transmission cancellation is provided through the input unit
15 within the predetermined length of time from the notification, wherein following the
16 transmission of the first message by the transmission unit, a second message is transmitted by the
17 transmission unit when input indicating confirmation of the transmission of the first message is
18 provided through the input unit; and
19 a position detection unit configured to detect a position of the communication
20 device; wherein the first message includes position information expressing the position detected
21 by the position detection unit at a time of the first message; and wherein the second message
22 includes position information expressing the position detected by the position detection unit at a
23 time of the second message,

24 wherein the first message communicates a delay to the transmission destination,
25 and the second message communicates a length of the delay to the transmission destination.

1 5. (Original) The communication device according to claim 4, wherein the
2 second message includes movement information of the communication device which is
3 calculated based on the position information included in the first message and the position
4 information included in the second message.

1 6. (Original) The communication device according to claim 1, wherein the
2 notification unit provides notification for the predetermined length of time.

7-11. Canceled.

1 12. (Previously presented) A communication method comprising:
2 receiving an input time, a transmission destination, and a first message;
3 providing notification when the input time and a current time match;
4 not transmitting the first message when input indicating transmission cancellation
5 is provided within a predetermined length of time from the notification;
6 transmitting the first message when no input indicating the transmission
7 cancellation is provided within the predetermined length of time;
8 transmitting a second message when input indicating confirmation of the
9 transmission of the first message is received; and
10 detecting a position of the communication terminal; wherein the first message
11 includes position information expressing the position detected by the position detection unit at a
12 time of the first message; and wherein the second message includes position information
13 expressing the position detected by the position detection unit at a time of the second message.

13 and 14. Canceled

1 15. (Currently amended) ~~[[In a]]~~A computer readable ~~medium storing a~~
2 program encoded on a computer readable medium for facilitating communication via a
3 communication device, the program comprising:

4 code for receiving an input time, a transmission destination, and a first message;
5 code for providing notification when the input time and a current time match;
6 code for not transmitting the first message when input is received indicating
7 transmission cancellation is provided within a predetermined length of time from the
8 notification;

9 code for transmitting the first message when no input is received indicating the
10 transmission cancellation is provided within the predetermined length of time;

11 code for transmitting a second message when input indicating confirmation of the
12 transmission of the first message is received; and

13 code for providing with the first message position information expressing a first
14 position of the communication device detected at a time of the first message, and for providing
15 with the second message position information expressing a second position of the
16 communication device detected at a time of the second message.

16. Canceled

1 17. (Previously presented) A communication device comprising:
2 a storage unit configured to store an input time, a transmission destination, a first
3 transmission condition, a second transmission condition, a first message, and a second message;
4 a clock function unit configured to reference a current time;
5 an input unit configured to receive input from a user; and
6 a transmission unit configured to transmit the first message and second message
7 stored in the storage unit to the transmission destination,

8 wherein the first message is transmitted by the transmission unit when the input
9 time stored in the storage unit matches the current time indicated by the clock function unit, and
10 when the first transmission condition is satisfied,

11 wherein the second message is transmitted by the transmission unit when the
12 second transmission condition is satisfied,

13 wherein the communication device is set in an operating mode in at least one of
14 the first transmission condition and the second transmission condition,

15 wherein the first transmission condition is satisfied when the communication
16 device is set in a first operating mode and the second transmission condition is satisfied when the
17 communication device is set in a second operating mode; and wherein at least one of the first
18 operating mode and the second operating mode is a drive mode.

18. Canceled

1 19. (Previously presented) A communication device for communication via a
2 network, comprising:

3 a storage unit configured to store an inputted input time and prearranged
4 transmission information including a transmission destination and a message;

5 a clock function unit configured to reference a current time;

6 an input unit configured to receive input from a user;

7 a notification unit configured to provide notification to the user;

8 a display unit configured to provide a display; and

9 a transmission unit configured to transmit the message stored in the storage unit to
10 the transmission destination,

11 wherein, if the power of the communication device is switched off when the
12 current time on the clock function unit is earlier than the input time in the storage unit, a display
13 showing that the prearranged transmission information is stored in the storage unit is provided on
14 the display unit,

15 wherein, if the current time on the clock function unit is later than the input time
16 when the power of the communication device is switched back on after being switched off, a
17 display showing that the input time has been exceeded is provided on the display unit.

20. Canceled.

1 21. (Currently amended) A communication device comprising:
2 a storage unit configured to store a scheduled time, a transmission destination, a
3 first message, and a second message;
4 a clock function unit configured to reference a current time;
5 an input unit configured to receive input from a user;
6 a notification unit configured to provide notification to the user;
7 a transmission unit configured to transmit the first message stored in the storage
8 unit to the transmission destination; and
9 a control unit configured to control the notification unit to provide notification to
10 the user when the scheduled time stored in the storage unit matches the current time indicated by
11 the clock function unit, to control the transmission unit to transmit the first message when input
12 is not provided by the user through the input unit within a predetermined length of time from the
13 notification, and to control the transmission unit not to transmit the first message when input is
14 provided by the user through the input unit within the predetermined length of time from the
15 notification, wherein the second message is transmitted by the transmission unit when input is
16 provided through the input unit after the transmission of the first message by the transmission
17 unit,

18 wherein the control unit is further configured to calculate an elapsed time based
19 on the scheduled time when the input indicating confirmation of the transmission of the first
20 message is provided, and the elapsed time is transmitted with the second message.

1 22. (Previously presented) The communication device according to claim 21,
2 wherein the first message communicates a delay to the transmission destination.

23. (Canceled)

1 24. (Previously presented) The communication device according to claim 1,
2 wherein the first message communicates a delay to the transmission destination.

25. (Canceled)

1 26. (Previously presented) The communication device according to claim 3,
2 further comprising a position detection unit configured to detect a position of the communication
3 device, wherein position information related to the position of the communication device is
4 transmitted with the first message or the second message.